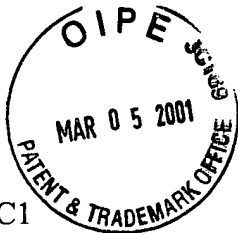


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✓ On page 12, line 12, after the sequence "EPSGPGGGGSGGGGSGGGGSM", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:38)--.

✓ On page 15, line 14, after the "3'" and before "a", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:1)--.

✓ On page 15, line 21, after the "3'" and before "(Sac", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:2)--.

✓ On page 15, line 22, after the "3'" and before "(NotI", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:3)--.

✓ On page 15, line 35, after the sequence "VNHKPSNTKVDKRV" and before the "=", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:4)--.

On page 16, line 12, after the "3'" and before "and", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:5)--.

On page 16, line 13, after the "3'", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:6)--.

On page 16, line 29, after the "3'" and before "(ApaI", please insert --(SEQ ID NO:7)--.